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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.704, the reference listed on the attached supplemental Form PTO-1449 is called to the attention of the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. To the best of Applicants' belief, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a

first Office Action on the Merits of the case, and therefore no fee is believed due for this submission.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review the reference cited and to note the review on the attached PTO-1449 form and to reach their own independent determination of its materiality, if any. However, should any fees be deemed required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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